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Atom Arms Threat Urged By Reagan

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 9 (UPI) — Republican Gov.-elect Ronald Reagan said today that the United States should use the threat of nuclear warfare to win peace in Vietnam.

He told a reporter in an interview that his view of the war could be summed up this way:

"I think you win."

He disagreed with Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge's view that the war might just "fade away" and added: "I don't believe a great power like us should be meeting the enemy on his terms."

He said the Nation should use its "full resources" to fight the war. Asked if he meant we should use nuclear weapons, he replied:

"No one, of course, wants to use those weapons, but the enemy should never be told we won't. He should go to bed every night fearful that we might."